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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES **DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371**

ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER FA1116 PCT U.S. APPLICATION NO. (hk/ovm see 3) CFR 1.5)

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/US04/28920	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 03 September 2004 (03.09.04)	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 03 September 2003 (03.09.03)					
TITLE OF INVENTION MULTI-STAGE PROCES	LE OF INVENTION MULTI-STAGE PROCESSES FOR DRYING AND CURING						
SUBSTRATES COATED WITH AQUEOUS BASECOAT AND A TOPCOAT							
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Dixon, Denni	APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Dixon, Dennis M. Et. Al.						
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:							
1. This is a FIRST submission of items cor	This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.						
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3. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.							
4. The US has been elected (Article 31).	The US has been elected (Article 31).						
5. A copy of the International Application	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))						
a. is attached hereto (required	a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).						
b. has been communicated by	b. has been communicated by the International Bureau.						
c. is not required, as the applic	ation was filed in the United States Receivi	ng Office (RO/US).					
6. An English language translation of the	International Application as filed (35 U.S.C	. 371(c)(2)).					
a. is attached hereto.	a. is attached hereto.						
b. has been previously submit	b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).						
7. Amendments to the claims of the Inter	national Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))					
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d. 🗾 have not been made and w	d. 🗾 have not been made and will not be made.						
8. An English language translation of the	An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).						
9. An oath or declaration of the inventor(An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).						
An English language translation of the Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).	An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).						
Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s)	or information included:						
11. An Information Disclosure Statement	An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.						
12. An assignment document for recording	An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.						
13. A preliminary amendment.	A preliminary amendment.						
14. An Application Data Sheet under 37 C	An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.						
15. A substitute specification.	A substitute specification.						
16. A power of attorney and/or change of	address letter.						
17. A computer-readable form of the sequ	A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Bule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821- 1.825.						
18. A second copy of the published Interna	A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).						
19. A second copy of the English language	A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).						

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